Remarks

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 11, 2004, Applicant elects to prosecute the subject matter of Species II, as shown in Figure 8. Claims 3 and 4 have been cancelled. Claims 1, 14 and 15 have been amended to clearly recite the elected species. No new matter has been added.

It is respectfully submitted that all pending claims are in condition for allowance, and Applicant respectfully requests that allowance be granted at the earliest date possible. Should the Examiner have any questions or comments regarding Applicant's amendments or response, the Examiner is asked to contact Applicant's undersigned representative at (215) 988.2700.

If there are any fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0573.

Respectfully submitted,

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